CLAIM AMENDMENTS

Cancel claim 10, without prejudice.

Rewrite claims 7 and 9, as follows:

1. (Previously Presented) A vertical rotary shooting target apparatus comprising:

a stand having a horizontally extending axle;

a target structure mounted on said axle for rotational movement;

said target structure including a mounting hub mounted on the axle for free relative rotation and a pair of target impact plates, each impact plate having a respective support structure which supports a single impact plate for rotational movement with said mounting hub; and

said support structures for said impact plates fixedly support the impact plates radially outwardly of said hub on opposite diametrically opposed sides thereof and in laterally offset relation to each other in a direction parallel to the axis of said axle without any other impact plate being disposed at a common lateral position with respect to the mounting hub such that impact upon said impact plates as an incident to shooting will cause rotation of said target structure about said axle with a shooter being required to shoot in laterally-offset directions to shoot different impact plates of the rotary target.

2. (Previously Presented) The vertical rotary shooting target apparatus of claim 15 in which said support structures support said impact plates with a lateral spacing of about the horizontal width of said impact plates.

3. (Canceled)

4. (Previously Presented) The vertical rotary shooting target apparatus of claim 16 in which each connecting rod includes a radial section fixed to said hub.

5. (Previously Presented) The vertical rotary shooting target apparatus of claim 4 in which each said connecting rod includes an intermediate section extending between said radial section and horizontal section at an acute angle to said radial section.

6. (Canceled)

7. (Currently Amended) The ~~A~~ vertical rotary shooting target apparatus of claim 1 ~~comprising:~~

~~a stand having a horizontally extending axle;~~

~~a target structure mounted on said axle for rotational movement in a vertical plane about a horizontal axis of said axle;~~

~~said target structure including a mounting hub rotatably mounted on the axle and a pair of target impact plates, each impact plate having a respective support structure connected to said mounting hub; and~~

in which each said impact plate and its respective support structure comprising a common plate with a coplanar surface that in part defines a bullet impact face of said impact plate.

8. (Previously Presented) The vertical rotary shooting target of claim 7 in which each said coplanar plate includes a mounting section, and said plate mounting sections being disposed on opposite sides of said hub and coupled together by removable fasteners.

9. (Currently Amended) A vertical rotary shooting target apparatus comprising:
a stand having a horizontally extending axle;

a target structure mounted on said axle for rotational movement in a vertical plan about a horizontal axis of said axle;

said target structure including a mounting hub rotatably mounted on the axle and a pair or target impact plates, each impact plate having a respective support structure connected to said mounting hub;

each said impact plate and its respective support structure comprising a common plate with a coplanar surface that in part defines a bullet impact face of said impact plate;

each said common plate including a mounting section, said plate mounting sections being disposed on opposite sides of said hub and coupled together by removable fasteners, and

~~The vertical rotary shooting target of claim 8 including~~ tubular members welded on opposite sides of said mounting hub in interposed relation between the impact plate mounting sections.

10. (Canceled)

11. (Previously Presented) A vertical rotary shooting target apparatus comprising:

a stand having a horizontally extending axle;

a target structure mounted on said axle for rotational movement in a vertical plane;

said target structure including a mounting hub rotatably mounted on the axle and a pair of target impact plates, a respective support structure connected to said mounting hub fixedly supporting each impact plate on said hub.

said support structures each including mounting portions disposed on opposite sides of said hub and secured together by removable fasteners; and

said support structures support said impact plates radially outwardly of said hub on opposite diametrically opposed sides thereof in laterally offset relation to each other in a direction parallel to the axis of said axle such that impact upon said impact plates a an incident to shooting will cause rotation of said target structure about said axle.

12. (Previously Presented) The vertical rotary shooting target of claim 11 in which said mounting portions are flat plates.

13. (Previously Presented) The vertical rotary shooting target of claim 12 including tubular members welded to opposite sides of said hub, and said mounting portions are secured to said tubular members by said removable fasteners.

14. (Previously Presented) The vertical rotary shooting target of claim 13 in which ends of such tubular members are welded in a butting relation on diametrically opposed sides of said hub.

15. (Previously Presented) The vertical rotary shooting target of claim 1 in which said support structures support said impact plates with a lateral separation between the impact plates in a direction parallel to the axis of said axle of at least one-half of the lateral width of the impact plates.

16. (Previously Presented) A vertical rotary shooting target apparatus comprising:

a stand having a horizontally extending axle;

a target structure mounted on said axle for rotational movement;

said target structure including a mounting hub mounted on the axle and a pair of target impact plates, each impact plate having a support structure connecting the impact plate to said mounting hub;

said support structures for said impact plates fixedly support the impact plates radially outwardly of said hub on opposite diametrically opposed sides thereof and in laterally offset relation to each other in a direction parallel to the axis of said axle such that impact upon said impact plates a an incident to shooting will cause rotation of said target structure about said axle,

said supporting structure for each impact plate being a connecting rod, each said connecting rod having a horizontally extending section, and said impact plates each being fixed to an outer radial side of the horizontal connecting rod section in relation to the axle.

17. (Previously Presented) A vertical rotary shooting target apparatus comprising:

a stand having a horizontally extending axle;

a target structure mounted on said axle for rotational movement;

said target structure including a mounting hub mounted on the axle and a pair of target impact plates, each impact plate having a support structure connecting the impact plate to said mounting hub;

said support structures for said impact plates fixedly support the impact plates radially outwardly of said hub on opposite diametrically opposed sides thereof and in laterally offset relation to each other in a direction parallel to the axis of said axle such that impact upon said impact plates a an incident to shooting will cause rotation of said target structure about said axle, and

each said impact plate and its respective supporting structure comprising a common coplanar plate.